REMARKS

Reconsideration of this application is requested in view of the amendments to the specification, the amendments to the claims and the remarks presented herein.

The claims in the application are claims 23, 28 to 31, 35 to 39, 41 and 43, all other claims having been cancelled.

Applicants are amending pages 8 and 19 with respect to the trademarks and if the undersigned overlooked any of the trademarks, the Examiner is requested to point them out. Applicants are also submitting PTO Form SB/08B concerning the references submitted with the last amendment.

With respect to the Terminal Disclaimer, Applicants are submitting a substitute disclaimer indicating that the two assignees are equal owners of 100% interest in the patents and application. It was thought that if they were equal owners, it meant that each owned 50%. The present Terminal Disclaimer should remove the double patenting rejection.

With respect to the claims, claim 23 has been modified to recite that at least one of the amino and spacer chain is GLY ARG or ARG GLY ARG. Therefore, the arguments in the last response are incorporated herein by reference so as not to burden the record.

In view of the amendments to the Specification and claims, favorable reconsideration of the application is requested.

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